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日二十月四年一十緒光 號五十五百五千八第 No. 8555 NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES. INTIMATIONS. AUCTIONS. BANKS. INTIMATIONS. SHIPPING, NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES PUBLIC AUCTION. NEW ORIENTAL BANK TANE CRAWFORD & Co.s. ARRIVALS. THE Undersigned has received instructions CORPORATION, LIMITED. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND May 22, Lino, British steamer, 620, Leitch, L to Sell by Public Austion. INCORPORATED UNDER THE CONPANIES CITY HALL SINGAPORE. Whampon 22nd May, General - JARDINE, ACTS 1862 to 1883. TO MORROW. SUMMER BEVERAGES. TIHE Steamship CAPITAL ... £2000,000, in 200,000 Shares of £10 Each. MASCOTTE" OPER MATHESON & Co. the 26th May, 1885, at 2 P.M., at his COMPANY. May 22, Kwongsang, British steamer, 900, Sales Room, Queen's Road, Cant. F. Nagel, having arrived from the above Registered Office, 40; THREADNEEDLE STREET, Ports, Consignous of Cargo are hereby informed Wood, Shanghai 19th May, General,-AN ASSORTMENT OF ANGLO-BAYARIAN PALE ALE. OPENING NIGHT that their Goods are being landed and stored at JAPANESE WARE LONDON. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. MONDAY their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned. BRANCHES IN INDIA, JAPAN, CHINA May 23, DEVONSHIEE, British steamer, 1,513, \* the 1st June, 1885, A BELFAST CHAMPAGNE CIDER. whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats KANGA, IMARIA, KIOTO and AND THE COLONIES. A. Purvis, Saigon 19th May, Rice. Bus-LONDON BANKERS: delivery may be obtained. VASES, JARS, BOWLS, ASOOTTE. INCENSE-BURNERS, THA and COFFEE SETS, ENAMELTED WARE, GOLD and Optional cargo will be forwarded, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-MORROW, the 25th instant. THE UNION BANK OF LONDON, LIMITED. BELFAST GINGER ALE. SELL & Co. THE BANK OF SCOTLAND, EDINBURGH, LON-May 23, R. E. Wood, American ship, 1,406, PRICES AS USUAL. DON, AND BRANCHES. SILVER INLAIDS BRONZES, PANELS, J. F. Gilkey, Cardiff 22nd December, Coal GILLON'S LIME JUICE SYRUP. RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED Box Plan at KELLY & WALSH's. Cergo remaining undelivered after the 31st IVORY CARVINGS, SCREENS, and EM-FRANK STUART, .... -P. & O. S. N. Co. ON DEPOSITS: May, will be subject to rent.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods BROIDERIES. At 3 Months Notice, 3 per Cent. per Annum May 23, TRIUMPH; German, steamer, W. T. GILLON'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL At 6 Months Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum. Hongkong Hotel. Schuldt, Ee On 20th May, General.-TERMS OF SALE. - As Customary. have left the Godowns. . At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annum. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Hongkong, 22nd May, 1885. No Fire Insurance has been effected CALIFORNIAN WHITE WINE. WIELER & Co. Anctioneer. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by On CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per May 23, PRIMBROKE CASTLE, British transport, Hongkong, 25th May, 1885. SIEMSSEN & Co., NOTICE. Cont. per Annum on the Daily Balance. CALIFORNIAN CLARET from a craisa. CREDITS GRANTED. REMITTANCES, Ex-PUBLIC AUCTION Hongkong, 24th May, 1885. NOTICE is hereby given that the AN-NUAL GENERAL MEETING of May 23, Yangusze, British steamer, 814, Schultz, Shanghai 19th May, General SIEMSSEN GRIFFIN BOTTLED STOUT. Banking Business transacted. TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO OLD CHINESE VASES, CURIOS, &c. the VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB will EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "PATROCLUS." CLAIMS ON the OBJENTAL BANK CORPORATION be held in the Premises of the CLUB on LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. THE Undersigned will Sell by Public Auc-May 23, DEUTEROS, German steamer, 1,197, FROM LIVERPOOL. SATURDAY NEXT, the 30th May at 5 P.M. Leithjens, Manila 20th May, Ballast .-J. H. STEWART LOCKHART H. A. HERBERT CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the SATURDAY, Hongkong, 15th May, 1884. Hon. Secretary. Undersigned not later than the 28th inst., MELCHERS & Co. the 30th May, 1385, it 2 P.M., at his Victoria Recreation Club. or shipment per stoamer " NESTOR." May 23, Bauglor, British steamer, 1,198, Webs-New Sales Rooms, DUDDELL STREET, ELLT & WALSH'S TTONGRONG&SHANGHAIBANKING Hongkong, 23rd May, 1885. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. ter, Saigon 20th May, Rice and Paddy .- ! A FINE SELECTION OF NEW BOOKS AND NEW GOODS. CORPORATION. Hongkong 21st May 1885. OLD CHINESE VASES AND CURIOS GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF Hunter's Bits of Old China. Just arrived from the Northern-Provinces-CANTON, LIMITED. Field Exercises New Edition, just Published. May 24, FERNTOWER, British steamer, 700, J OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. of China. American Almanack, 1885. RESERVE : FUND Kully, Saigon 20th May, Rice.—Chinese. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Comprising :-Blackie's Steam Practice and Engineering. ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF ? May 24, Encorea, German-steamer, 1,162, F. Some Fine Five-coloured and Blue and Harcourt's Harbours and Docks. DIVIDENDS ..... TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-Hosie's, Journey through Central Ssu-Chuan. WHITE VASES and JARS of the reigns of RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-Nagel, Hamburg 31st March, and Singapore are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING Blue Book State Papers zeinting to China. KANG-HI, YUNG-CHING, KIEN-LUNG and charged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns PRIETORS .... 18th instant, General.—Siemssen & Co. TEW-OUA; SANG DE BEUF, GREEN, YELLOW- OF SHAREHOLDERS of the SOCIETY WIL Charles George Gordon-A Sketch of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at May 24, LIVINGSTONE, German bark, 581, H. be held at the SCCIETY'S HEAD OFFICE, No. 15. Consignees risk. The Cargo will be ready for 983 and BLUE VASES and JARS, SNUFF COURT OF DIRECTORS :-Steffens, Bangkok Sth May, Timber and Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUES. BOTTLES, CURIOS, CARVED BAMBOOS Satow and Hawes Guide to Japan, 2nd Ed. delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the Chairman-Hon. F. D. Sassoon. DAY, the SECOND DAY OF JUNE, 1885, at The Canton Guide by Dr. Kerr-Maps and and IVORIES. Ribe .-- WIELER & Co. Denuty Chairman A. McIven, Esq. 22nd May, 1885. THREE C'CLOCK in the AFTERNOON, when it is H. L. Dalrympie, Esq.
H. Hoppius, Esq.
W. H. Forbes, Esq.
C. D. Bottomley, Esq. Goods undelivered after the 28th inst. May 24; VORTIGERN, British steamer, 876, J. Plans H. Hoppius, Esq. M. Grote, Esq. Hom W. Keswick intended to confirm the resolutions passed at the Wall Maps of the World, Asia, Europe. &c. CATALOGUES will be issued previous to the vill be subject to Rent. Brown, Saigon 19th May, Rice and Paddy Fresh Steeks of Cope's Golden Cloud and Sale, and the Articles will be on view on EXTRADEDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. -Abnhold, Kabberg & Co. A. P. McEwon, Esq. held on the 18th day of May, 1885. FRIDAY NEXT. Straight Cut. By Order of the Board of Directors, May 24, YUNG-CHING, American steamer, 761, TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary. CHIEF MANAGER. Morris Gold Leaf Honey Dew. N. J. EDE, Lawn Tonnis Sets, Tennis Bats, Tennis Balls Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq. G. R. LAMMERT, Lincoln, Swatow 23rd May, General.—Rus-NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. MANAGER. Secretary. Dog Collars in great Variety. Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. SELL & Co. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S Hongkong, 25th May, 1885. Hongkong, 18th May, 1885. New Stock of Cigar and Cigarette Tubes. May 24, GREYHOUND, British steamer, 227, W. LONDON BANKERS—LONDON & COUNTY BANK. STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY Briar Ecot and Meerschaum Pipes! C. Syder, Pakoi 21st May, Hoihow 22nd, Nickel Framed Sun Glasses and Coggles. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, INSURANCES. FROM TRIESTE, ADEN, BOMBAY, CO-Hongkong-Interest Allowed. and Macao 24th, General - ADAMSON, Acme Stamping Pads-Self-Inking LIMITED LOMBO, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of Stove Screens and Stove Ornaments. per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. BELL & Co. NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS. THE Steamship CUUNFIRE OFFICE. May 24, Tanais, French steamer, 1,260, On Fixed Deposits:-Magie Knives and Pencils. BONUS of 15 PER CENT. upon CONTRI- having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees Paul, Yokohama 17th May, Mails and For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. The Undersigned are prepared from this date Photographand Scrap Albums-New Designs of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE at the BUTIONS for the year 1884 has THIS For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. General -- MESSAGERIES MARITIMES Memorandum Pocket Books in great Variety with the exception of Opium, are being landed Court at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. Reduced Tariff Rates to the extent of \$50,000 DAY been declared. Tracing Cloth, Tracing Paper, Drawing: Pins at their risk into the Godowns known as "The WARRANTS may be had on application at the LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. on First-class Eisks. Continuous Drawing Paper 5 feet wide. CLEARANCES. Hongkong Wharf and Godowns," Wanchai, CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and LINSTEAD & DAVIS, above OFFICE on and after the 15th Proximo. New Songs and Dance Music. AT THE HABBOUR MISTER'S OFFICE. every description of Banking and Exchange whence delivery may be obtained. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., KELLY & WALSH, HONGKONG. Consigness wishing to receive their Goods on business transacted. Sun Fire Office. General Agents, DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief the Wharf are at liberty to do so. Hongkong, 12th May, 1881. Conton Insurance Office, Limited. Elsa, German steamer, for Haiphong. BREWER has just received No Claims will be admitted after the Goods undersigned are the Solicitors, Acting for the Hongkong, 28th April, 1885. commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Salico, British steamer, for Haiphong NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE have left the Godowns, and all claims must be Bankrupt. Fancy Note Paper and Envelopes printed in America, China and Japan. Huntingdon, British stenmer, for Saigon. INSURANCE COMPANY. sent in to the undersigned BEFORE NOON, ON . JACKSON, Chief Menagon gold and colours, any letter, 50 cents box. CHORGE GOULE Galley of Lorne, British steamer, for Nagusaki THE 29TH INSTANT, OR THEY WILL NOT BE Hongkong, 28th February 1885 A Large Selection of very handsome Hand CHAMPAGNE. THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Com-pany, are authorized to INSURE against Painted Fans in ivory, scented wood, and Glenfalloch, British steamer, for Woosning. PUSTAU & Co., No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any ebonite, from \$2 each... P. C. Klao, British steamer, for Swatow. FIRE at Current Rates. goods remaining in the Godowns after the 29th | 9841 A Great variety of Fancy Ponholders and dangkong, 18th January, 1884. - 194 Alex. M. Neil, American chip, for London. DULES OF THE HONGKONG GILMAN & Co. instant, will be subject to rent. Pencil Cases. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SAVINGS BANK. Hongkong, 1st January 1882 Lide, British steamer, for Swatow. Mason and Hamblin's American Organs. O. BACHRACH. Ningpo, British steamer, for Shanghai. CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE THE MANHATTAN LIFE Pianos for Hire. 1.—The business of the above Bank will be Statesman's Year Book, 1885: Marie, German steamer, for Touron. INSURANCE COMPANY. conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai INSURANCE COMPANY OF Hongkong, 21st May, 1885. Sleeman's Torpedoes. Foothow, Sismese schooner, for Bangkok. Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 ESTABLISHED 1805. Mathematical Instruments, Colour Boxes NEW YORK. Glamis Castle, British steamer, for Saigon. "CASTLE" LINE OF STEAMERS. Artist's Brushes. to 3: Saturdays, 10 to L. . THE Undersigned having been appointed 156 & 158, BROADWAY, NEW BOOTS AND SHOES. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. DEPARTURES. Men's Calf Oxford Shoes. Agents for the above Company are pre-THE Endersigned having been appointed one time will not be received. No depositor May 23, Donis, German str., for Whampos. pared to bene Policies of Insurance against Fire Men's Patent Oxford Shoes. may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. Agents for the above Company are pro-HE Skamehip Men's Kid Oxford Shoes May 23, ALWINE, German str., for Haiphong. on the usual terms. 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having pared to take applications for LIFE INSUR-ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Men's Kid Oxford Shoes with Cloth tops. May 23, PEMBRORE CASTLE, British transport \$100 or more at their credit may at their option "GORDON CASTLE." Ladies' Blackbeaded Indoor Shoes. ANCE at reduced rates. Hongkong, January, 1882. transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shangship, for a cruiss. Rowell, Commander, having arrived from the Ladies' Handsome Evening Shoes. PUSTAU & Co., hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for NOTICE: above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby in-May 23, CIPARON WATTANA, Siamese bark, for Ladies' French Walking Shoes. 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest. formed that all Goods, with the exception of Oplum. General Agents. Black Satin Shoes Silk embroidered. 4.—Interest at the rate of 81 per cent. per UEEN FIRE INSURANCE Hongkong, lat August 1384. 64 are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns are the strongest and best Shoes for Concrete annum will be allowed to Depositors on their Men's Lawn Tennis Shoes plain soles. These May 23. PATEOCIALS, British str., for Amoy. COMPANY. of the undersigned, at Wanchal, No. 3, behind The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS on May 23, GLENFALLOCH, Brit. str., for Woosung. thepremisesknown as "Blue Buildings" whence FREP. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship daily balances. MPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis Msy 23, PENG-CHAO-HAI, Chi. g.-b., for Canton. and/or from the wharves or boats delivery may W. BREWER, Queen's Road. with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with First-class Gonowns at 1 per Cent. Nett pre-NEET DOOR TO HONGKONG HOTEL. The Undersigned, Agents for the above be obtained, May 24, GLAMIS CASPLE, Brit. str., for Saigon. each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must Optional cargo will be forwarded on unless will leave for the above place on WEDNESmium per Annum. Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES May 24, SALTEE, British str., for Haiphong. not make any entries themselves in their Passnotice to the contrary be given before FOUR DAY, the 27th inst. at THREE P.M., instead of TUITION. NORTON & Co., Agents. against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any Books, but should send them to be written up May 24, Libo, British str., for Swatow. Hongkong, 20th May, 1881. P.M., TO-DAY., R. WILLIAM SWEETMAN, Teacher at least twice a year, about the beginning of No Claims will be admitted after the Goods May 24, SUMATRA, British str., for Yokohama. FIRST-CLASS RISK. NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE of Languages, will be glad to receive January and beginning of July. have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining RATES ON FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS RE-6 .- Correspondence us to the business of the COMPANY AT HAMBURG. Pupils. Under his new system Mr. SWEETafter the 26th inst., will be subject to rent. DUCED to a PER CENT. NETT PER ANNUM Bank if marked On Hongeong Sayings Bank MAN can impart a fair knowledge of any No Fire Insurance has been effected. PASSENGERS. FROM THIS DATE European Language within three months. Business is forwarded free by the various TETHE Undersigned, Advices for the above Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARRIVED. GILB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Company, are prepared to GRANT IN-Arrangements are now being made to form British Post Offices in Hongkon; and China. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Per Devonshire, str., from Saigon. 2 Chinese. SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on firster Agents, 7.-Withdrawals may be much on demand, DAY and EVENING CLASSES. Per Kwongsang, str., from Shanghai — Mesers. Hill, Happer, Tuveiree, Mr. and Mrs. Bauman Agenta. Imperial Fire Insurance Company. but the personal attendance of the Depositor or ME SWEETMAN under thes Translations plass risks at current rates. Hongkoag, 19th May, 1885. Hongkong, 9th May, 1881. in all European Lauguages and offers his Serhis duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass Box are necessary. MELCHERS & Co. and family, and 80 Chinese. . Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. vices as Interpreter. Per Yangteze, str., from Shanghai. - Six Eu-THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-NETHERLANDS-INDIA STEAM NAV For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-Terms strictly moderate. GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE ropeans deck and 26 Chinese. PANY, LIMITED. GATION COMPANY, LIMITED. ING CORPORATION, Per Electra, str., from Hamburg.-Lady Ru-ASSURANCE COMPANY. COLLEGE CHAMBERS. T. JACKSON, dorf and three children for Yokohams, Messrs. FROM BATAVIA, SINGAPORE, AND HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Chief Manager. Wyndham Street. Rippel and Grap for Shanghai, and 155 Chinese. Hongkong, 8th May, 1885. Agents for the store Company, are Hongkong, 30th April, 1885. CAPITAL (Subschided), \$1,000.000. Per Vortigern, str., from Saigon, 42 Chinese repared to GRANT POLICIES against Per Yungching, str., from Swatow.-Mr. THE HONGKONG HAIR DRESSING UTLER. PALMER & Co., FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates. FIHE Company's Steamship SALOON. Hughes. BOARD OF DIRECTORS. PUSTAU & Co. Per Greyhound, str., from Pakhoi, &c. -32 HONGKONG HOTEL BUILDINGS. -- Wine Shippers "GOUVERNEUR GENERAALS' JACOB," TITM SIN SANG. ESC. Hongkong, Lst April, 1885. OF LONDON, BOBDEAUX, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, YOW CHONGPENG, Esq. having arrived from the above ports Consignees LADIES HAIR DRESSING BAN. HUP. Esq. Per Tanais, str., from Makung - Messrs. THE SCOTTISH UNION & NATIONAL CHAN LI CHOY, Esq. Q. HOT CHUNE, Esq. INSURANCE COMPANY. of Cargo are hereby requested to send in MADRIS, LAHORE, KURBACHEE, &c. SALOON is attached to this Establish Georges Marie and Toloh. their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for and Ladies are respectfully invited to Their Representatives in China-The Company GRANTS POLICIES pountersignature, and to take immediate delivery Per Diamante, str., for Manila, -- Messra, Jose | give it a trial. Every satisfaction is guaranteed. THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to INSURE MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World Messrs. FARDINE, MATHESON & Co. ) Hongkong Hongkong, 8th May, 1885. Romero, Antonio Romero and servant, and G. i payable at any of its Agencies. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once STEMBSEN & Co. Porres, and 2 Chinese. against FIRE at Current Rates. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Shanghai. R. R. S. PINTO begs to inform the Contributory Dividends are payable to all landed and stored at Consignees' risk and Contributors of Business, whether they are expense Per Sumotra, str., from Hongkong.-For STOLTERFOHT & HIRST. Public that he has Resumed his MUSIC Kobé.—Messrs. A. Gage and N. H. Vertue. For Yokohama.—Col. and Mrs. Graves, Mr. and Call attention to some of the items consigned to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, 14th November, 1884. Shareholders or not. singing Plano. & Violin lessons their care by this well-known house :and requests the Patronage before accorded. WOO LIN YUEN. THENIX FIRE OFFICE Mrs. Ewens, child and nurse. Hongkong, 18th May, 1885. Secretary. Attendance at Purit's residence, and great Per Douglas, str., for Amoy.—Mr. and Mrs. Corder and maid, Mrs. Young, Messrs, L. W. CLARETS, Larose, Mouton, St. Julien, &c. patience taken with Juveniles. HEAD OFFICE. STILL HOCK. The Undersigned are now prepared No. 2, Queen's Road West. TERMS VERY MODERATE. GRANTPOLICIES of INSURANCE against FOR SALE. Luscher, M.D., and Covil, For Foochow.--Mr. CHAMPAGNE, Royal Wine, as supplied Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. Address, Care of W. BREWER, Esq. FIRE at the following Rates: Pethfarcken: Hongkong, 1st May, 1885. to Her Majesty. On First-class European TEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE FOR SALE. SHERRY, Selected White Seal and Amoroso FONG. PHOTOGRAPHER REPORTS These Sherries are also shipped in Jars. COMPANY NLAND LOT No. 507 with the TWELVE On First-class Godowns, The British steamer Devonshire, from Saigon & Merchandise stored CHINESE HOUSES thereon, Nos. 18 STUDIO, ICE ROUSE LANE, LIFE ASSURANCE ONLY INVALIDS' PORT WINE therein ...... st 1 /. Net per Annum. reports pleasant weather throughout. 20, 22, 24, 26, and 28, WANGHI ROAD, and 10, 12,.. Purely mutual; all profits belong to Policy-BEHIND NEW CEIENTAL BANK, SCOTCH WHISKY, free from fusel oil. ..at 1 % Net per Annum 14, 16, 18 and 20, WANCHI MARKET STREET. FOR the COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS, iolders and apportionments are made annually, The German steamer Triumph, from Econ. Hongkong. COGNAC, Four Stars, Three Stars, Two Stars On Petroleum in li-STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING Crown Rent \$76.20 per Annum. reports time weather, light southerly winds. Has a LARGER, CHOICER, and more COMPLETE Prices on application to either of the above Firms. censed Godowns ..... at la 7. Net per Annum. COLLECTION of VIEWS, than any other SIST DECEMBER, 1883. Apply to 1 . [2114 On First-class Chinese The American steamer Yungching, from Swa- in the Empire, the Copies of which are only LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Accumulated Funds ...... £11,379,944 tow, reports fresh S.W. winds and fine weather to be purchased at his Studio or Messes. Tenements Sam HING STULTZ, JUNE On Second-class Chinese Hongkong, 18th May, 1885. Surplus over all liabilities KELLY & WALSH'S Store. and Reserve Fund accordall the way £ 2,139,338 FOR SALE. ing to valuation made by The American ship R. E. Wood, from Cardiff and High Finish, painted under careful TAYLOR, DRAFER, and GENERAL OUTFITTER, H A M P A the Government..... Agents for Phonix Fire Office. reports light variable winds and calms through-Best Materials and a Perfect Fit Guaranteed. "MONOPOLE" 115 Income for year 1883..... £ 2,717,599. Hongkong, 5th August, 1881. AT MODERATE PRICES. out the passage. INSTANTANEOUS VIEWS, GROUPS and POL-C. SETON LINDSAY, "MONOPOLE SEC" (DRY).
CARLOWITZ & Co., TRAFFS of different sizes taken daily. THE LONDON ASSURANCE The British steamer Bengloc, from Salgon, Dealer in CHINESE SILE of all kinds, Res. Manager, reports had light airs from south and fine wea-Department of the East. PIFE HATS, MATTING and BAMBOO BLINDS TTHE PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE IN-Sole Agents: BIRLEY, DALRYMPHE & Co., Has always on hand a very fine Selection ther throughout. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS SURANCE COMPANY OF CALI-HEIDSIECK & Co., REIMS. Agents, Hongkong. of various kinds of MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIEST. FORNIA The British steamer Vortigers, from Salgon, Hongkong, 1st July, 1881. YOLO AND BENICIA MILLS; FLOUR SILK GOODS AND EMBROIDERIES. reports had moderate southerly winds and clear Wholesale Manufacturer of Sixe Coars and AND MEALS. FOR SALE. weather throughout FIRE Undersigned laving been appointed other Garments for Exportation. CALIFORNIA CANNED GOODS OF Agents for the above Corporation, are The British steamer Knongsang, from Shang WM. T. COLEMAN & Co. MANUFACTURER OF FINE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM-DEAL SCHIEDAMSCH JENEVER Best Split and Every Kind of prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-IRON MANTELS AND STOVES OF hai reports weather unsettled throughout pass-A. Stone Bottles: also POMERANZEN PANY, LIMITED. MARINE DEPARTMENT RATTANS .... age, variable winds and rain. MONTAGUE & Co. Policies at current rates, payable either here, Is prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS BITTERS and SCHIEDAM SCHNAPPS in London, or at the principal Ports of India, RISKS at 1 %, nett per Annum, and other IN-PRIME SOURKROUT & RED CABBAGE, ALSO RATTAN CHAIRS. COUCHES, &c. A. HINZ, BISKS at 1 %, nett per Annum, and other In- PRIME SOURKROUT & RED CABBAGE, The British steamer Yangtsze, from Shanghai. 62. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Agent. in Jars, REAL GOOD SHAG TOBACCO. SURANCES at Current Rates. Fourth door West from Pottinger Street. 1070 reports forgy and drizzling rain to Chapel Is-No. 4, D'Aguilar Street, China and Australia FIRE DEPARTMENT. AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China land: remainder of passage light S.W. winds Hongkong: 9th March, 1885. Policies issued for long or short periods at and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigen, Penning, and cloudy. Spoke the steamers Amon off Turn-SPORTING GUNS and RIFLES, REVOL-PRONZES YERS, and CARTRIDGES, SHOTS. &c., &c. about and Fooksang off Lammocks." and the Philippines. · J.F. SCHEFFER. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, LIFE DEPARTMENT. CHOICE FORCELAIN WARD, DINNEY The British steamer Greyhound, from Pakhoi, 21 and 23, "ottinger Street. Policies issued for sums net exceeding 25,000, Secretary. AND DESSERT SERVICES. &c., reports left Pakhol 21st May, Heihow 22nd, and Macao 24th; experienced moderate S.S.W. Hongkong, 27th March, 1882. Hongkong, 3rd April, 1884. at reduced rates. HAND PAINTED TEA and BREAKFAST SETS. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. E beg to give Notice to the Public that CURIOS. FURNITURE, &c., &c., winds and fine weather throughout. French Hongkong, 26th July, 1872. TIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND FOR SALE CASSUMBHOY, V.V. ME. LI HI, slids YUET CHEE man of war still overhauling vessels at Pakhoi. GLORE INSURANCE COMPANY. AT WHOLESALE, PRICES: Opposite City Hall. has left our service. FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 WING CHEUNG KUT KEE. IN HAMBURG. The Undersigned, as Agents for the above Company, are prepared from this date to FREDERICK PERKING LONDON.

GRANT POLICIES upon FIRST-CLASS RISKS

ISLAY BLENIC WHISKY. DORTLAND CEMENT VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS Hongkong, 21st May, 1885. J, B. WHITE & BROS. IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA. THE Undersigned. Agents of the above L Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT RISKS at Current Rates NOTICE. to the extent of £15,000, at the Reduced Tariff (Per last Mail's Advice.)

SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA.

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NOTICE:

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS of the HONGK ING CLUB is hereby convened to take place at the Crus House on MONDAY, the 1st June, at Four o'CLOCK P.M. The object of the Meeting is stated in the Notice posted in the Hall of the Club. By Order of the General Committed, EDWARD BEART.

Hongkong, 23rd May, 1885. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKBUPTCY.

TOTICE.—KWOK YING SHEW, lately residing at No. 60, Lower Lascar Row, Victoria, Hongkong, Trader, having been ad-judged a Bankrupt, under a Petition for Ad-judication in Bankruptey, filed in the Suprems Court of Hongkong, on the 20th day of May, 1882, a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination and make application for his Order of Discharge, will be held before the Honourable Edward James Ackroyd, Acting Judge of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House, Viotoria, Hongkong, aforesaid, on THURSDAY, the 4th day of June, 1885, at 11 o'clock in the Fonemoon of that day ALFRED GASCOYNE WISE, Esquire, is the

Official Assignee in the Bankruptcy, and the undersigned are the Solicitors, acting for the Bankrupt. Dated this 22nd day of May, 1885.

DENNYS & MOSSOR Solicitors. 43. Queen's Boad Contral,

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKBUPTCY.

TOTICE -KWOK PAR SHING of No.

37. Tung Man Street, Victoria, Hengkong, and lately carrying on business there as a-Coal Merchant under the name of SING LEE. having been adjudged a Bankrupt, under a Petition for Adjudication in Bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court of Hongkong, on the 16th day of December, 1831, a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination and make application for his Order of Discharge, will be held before the Honourable EDWARD JAMES ACREOVD, Acting Judge of the said aforesaid on THURSDAY, the 4th day of June, 1885, at 11 o'clock in the FORENCON of that day precisely. ALFREI GASCOYNE WISE, Esquire, is the

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IN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875.

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ment Civil Hospital he was found to have sus-

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have issued a circular stating that shipments

and Aberdeen, or by other non-conference stea-

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may have given exclusive support to the con-

The following is the Chinese account of the

French relief of Tuyen-kwan as given in the

N. C. Daily News translations from the Poking

Gazette :- March 29th .- A Decree ! P'an Ting-

victory by the various columns of the Imperial

month the enemy advanced from different points

to the attack of Chen-pan Kwan. The two divi-

sions nuder Feng Tzt-lin and Wang Heino ch'i

at once went forth to meet them, while Su Yuan-

ch'un and Chiang Tsung-chieh hurried up with

reinforcements for their support. The whole

body of troops made a quantimous and vigorous

resistance, which terminated in a signal victory.

casion is commandable, and We command that

Su Yuan-ch'un and Li Ping-heng have liberal

marks of distinction conferred upon them as

LATEST TELEGRAMS

-ENGLAND AND RUSSIA

that Russia has advanced fresh claims.

POLICE COURT

The Standard publishes a paragraph stating

The Secretary of State for War, in reply to

23rd May.

BEFORE ME. E. MACKEAN.

steamer, Rhosina, was before the court, or re-

Henry Brown, steward of the Rhosina, stated

heard him using some strong language, and

shouting to some of the men to hold their row

down there. He also complained that he had

not care a --- for the best man in the ship, whe-

defendant. Witness persuaded the defendant to

go on deck, but Davis followed him directly

afterwards, and what occurred there witness did

not see. According to his own account

the deceased had been in the army ten years, and

had several medals. He had been very sickly all

the voyage out, and was constantly being supplied

with physic. On one occasion he had a fainting fit

THE FATAL BRAWL ON BOARD THE CHORINA

Mr. Wotten appeared for the defence.

question, said that it was inexpedient to make a

LONDON, 22nd May.

stimulus to general zeal and activity.

ference lines.

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of Schools, is always looked for with interest. If the worthy Doctor's remarks do not invariably command unqualified acquiescence. they have at least "be" merit of exciting thought and useful discussion. In reading his last report, which was published in our Saturday's issue, one of the sentences which chiefly attracted our attention was the following .- "The actual working" of the [Grant-in-aid] scheme depends to a great extent on the "tactics adopted by the teachers in endeavouring to obtain as high a grant as possible, and these tactics are adopted by them without regard to the bearing such tactics may have on the general interests of education in the colony." This shows that the result of an examination under the grant-in-aid scheme, although no doubt it represents work of some kind, affords no fair basis of comparison between any two particular schools. This is what we have maintained on previous occasions, and more especially with reference to the comparison at one time made between the Contral School and the grant-in-aid schools. While in the latter the object of the teacher may beit would be unfair to say it is in all cases simply to obtain as many passes as possible and by every means to avoid the risk of failures, the former is free from the baneful influence of this mercenary spirit and is at terests of education in the colony. A suppositious example will show how unfairly such a comparison may work. Let us suppose there are two schools, A and B, each containing fifty scholars. The master of A school, thinking only of how much money he can gain under the grant-in-aid scheme, presents his pupils in standards I. to V. ten in each, while the master of B school, thinking of the interests of his pupils and of years. To introduce Portuguese into St. education in the colony, trains them for and presents them in standards IL to VI. All A's scholars pass while B has ten per cent. of failures, although in the lower standards they would have passed as creditably as the be clearly unjust to make the number of failures the basis of comparison. It may work done in a school the greater will be the risk of failure at the examination, but -there is nevertheless some truth in the statement. This has been recognised by the Government, who, on Dr. Ettel's recommendation, some time ago made an alteration in the scale of grants with the express object of inducing teachers. their scholars in the higher standards. The alteration has worked successfully, its result being that whilst 1883 out of 1,488 children as many as 428 were examined in Standard I., only 76 were examined in that same Standard in 1884, which indicates that the teachers, considering the value of Standard I too low, put into Standard II. children who would otherwise have been placed in the lower standard, and they also crowded as many children as they could into Standards III. and IV., so that, whilst in 1883 only 381 children were examined in these two Standards, as many as 590 were examined in the same Staffdards in 1884. In Standard V. also the improvement is noticeable, but Standard VI, would appear to have been outside the range of operation of the change; very few children are presented in this standard, which apparently beyond the limits of the ordinary education given in the schools of the colony, for in 1883 there were only five presented in it and last year only two. Leaving out of consideration, then, Standard VI., and referring only to Standards I. to V., the result shown is one which, as Dr. Erren says, tends to raise the general standard of education. It seems clear, however, from the very necesthe grant-in-aid scheme, however useful it may be from a general point of view in subporting education, does not always operate

Another interesting point raised in Dr. FITEL's report is as to the necessity of non-English boys studying their own language. It will be remembered that some years ago there was considerable discussion as to whether Chinese should be taught in the matshed at the joss house past Whitfelld Station his mouth closed, does not make a sign, and ceased's head or shoulder. Central School at all, or whether the work some two or three weeks since; was discharged plucking the french troops, which in many cases were

afford a fair basis of comparison between

particular schools if regard be had only to

the number of passes and failures.

The Chinese gunboat Peng-chao-hai left here esterday for Canton.

Singapore on the 14th instant en route to Sair

There will be a Te Deum at the Roman in honour of the Queen's Birthday.

whom the English language is entirely forlearn to express thought and feeling correctly quarter of the present year. in their mother-tongue, and, in fact, learn

the G.O.M.'s advice to the grizzly. which has been engaged in convoying Chinese troops, has been seized by the French. The Brish chartered transport Pembroke for London by the steamers Pathan, Afghan.

Castle, Captain Harrison, went out on Saturday for a cruise and returned to her mornings in the The British steamer Greyhound, which ar-

the French mon of war at that port are still overhauling vessels bound in. The address presented to Her Majosty by the

hain reports a decisive engagement and signal It is notified in the Gazette that from the lat June next bills of health will be delivored by troops. On the 23rd and 24th of the present the Colonial Surgeon and the Health Officer on

Chinese. There is also the question of the accordingly. relative utility of the two languages-Chi-The British steamer Killarney conneround from Over a thousand of the enemy were killed or hese and Portuguese. Dr. Errat- is of Aberdeen on Saturday, and the American ship wounded, and their elephants, horses, guns, and pinion that it is highly desirable that all Scolos and the British steamer Benlarig went rifles were captured in large numbers, the enemy

> In the Gazette are published instructions to lepend on the viva voce as well as the written

Mr. Sanvlet at Shanghai is true. It was said he had taken part in a concert on the 15th instant and died on the morning of the loth. We

noon were greatly alarmed by finding shots from lady actually had her arm slightly grazed, while another lady had a narrow escape of receiving a charge in her face. Reckless shooting of this description could not be too severely panished if the guilty parties could be discovered. A search from a considerable distance, and the shots were

Advices from Hankow say that up to the Polish language, or refuse encouragement to chests, principally Kinking true, had been set education given through the medium of lan- tled. In the same time, four days, at the guages other than English, we certainly opening of the market last year, 175,000 halfthink it is not the duty of the Government winds Hankow district teas had not arrived to to specially encourage the study of Poftu- any extent and few musters had been shown gaese. But with reference to Chinese the Fine tens for Russia had been taken at prices a good deal over London values. but there was an position is very different. Chinese is the absence of anything like excitement in the

commercial dealings. The boys trained at and Game is published in the Gazette. Its print of death, and P. C. Duncan, Mr. Wotton cross- since September kindly gave his services on the Central School are destined to act as pipal provisions are that no person may take or examined all these witnesses at considerable this occasion, and for the Chinese Trustation in kill any wild bird or game without a licence, and | length that no person may offer for sale between April - His Worship, at the conclusion of the case for | 4.—On the lat of June Mr. Caldwell resigned people and the English speaking race, and and September any phoasant or partridge. The the prosecution, intimated to Mr. Wotton that he his appointment, having obtained employment it is therefore of the utmost importance they penalty for a first offence is \$10, and for a sub- should commit the case for trial, and asked sequent offence \$25 with or without imprison- whether he intended to reserve his defence. ment with hard lebour not exceeding one month. guages. The same utilitarian considerations Section 4 confers on the world at large the he desired to call. right to demand the name and place of abode of any person found offending against the Ordin- that at about six o'clock on the evening in ques- 5.—I regret to have to report that the school

> been in the district bordering; the staggant stream that runs from the back of Woodsville and empties into the Kallang river. Two cases occurred among the coolies employed at the McCullum used a heroic remody by burning down the coolies' huts, which were horribly filthy since. There have been sporadio cases here and there the whole number known so far amounting to about ten, of which some proved fatal, The cases all occurred where the people used contaminated water for drinking purposes. There having been no fresh cases within the last three or four days : it is believed the disease

The prisoner who was arrested on a charge of community here do not know and appreciate facing each other, and the pected to get all of the destitute classafore there are fights before and around Langson, the Chinese arson in connection with the destruction of a this valuable servant more. The Captain keeps former's right hand upon the left side of the destruction for dealing with such destruction of a this valuable servant more. The Captain keeps former's right hand upon the left side of the destruction of a this valuable servant more. The Captain keeps former's right hand upon the left side of the destruction of a this valuable servant more. The Captain keeps former's right hand upon the left side of the destruction of a this valuable servant more. The Captain keeps former's right hand upon the left side of the destruction of a this valuable servant more. The Captain keeps former's right hand upon the left side of the destruction of a this valuable servant more. The Captain keeps former's right hand upon the left side of the destruction of a this valuable servant more.

THE LIMITS OF THE UNINA On Saturday morning a bricklayer named Wong Kam Kwai had a fall from the roof of the STATION. Water Police Station at Tsmi Tsa Teal. He broke his fall somewhat on the sloping iron roof .The following despatch is published in the of the verandah below, but he still sustained a heavy fall. Upon his removal to the Govern-Gazetto :-Downing Street, 14th April, 1885.

tained a severe compound fracture of the thigh One of the best cartoons we have seen on the Anglo-Russian difficulty is contained in the last received number of the Cathay Post, albeit the lew Island, St. Andrews and the adjacent Islands, has existed in embryo for many years. To comexecution is not so good as the idea. The rock and thus transfer them from the limits of the plete the scheme of the Committee, a building ly we hear that rice is to be freely shipped to is seated the Russian bear, hugging an Afghan Australian Station. This stop would be taken will undoubtedly be necessary, but they recomwho is trying to escape his clutches, while in with a view to socilitating more frequent visits to mend that the experiment be tried with existing front of him stands Mr. Gladstone holding in these Islands by vessels of war, as they can be means, until experience shows what amount of the leashes the British ilon and the Indian tiger, more readily visited from time to timefrom ships success is attainable and what accommodation. The Chinese, who were somewhat sanguine both straining to be at the bear. "Drop it" is stationed in the China Seas.

car in the course proposed, and the Commanders to this Shelter should be by printed ticket, in-Chief on the China and Australian Stations space being left on each dicket for the name and have, accordingly, been informed that the change a short description of the man relieved, which now progressing between the agents of the two will take place from the 1st July next, From that date, the North Boundary of the quested to insert. In view, however, of the ment may in the meantime have been arrived at.

the China Station will be as follows :-From 95 a E Longitude by the parallel of 100 S. Latitude to 130 ° E. Longitude: thence North 136 º E. Longitude: thence North to 12 º N. Latitude, and along that parallel to 160 ° W Longitude .- I have &c. Governor Bir G. F. Bowon, G.C.M.C.,

THE GOVERNMENT CENTRAL - SCHOOL.

Government Central School, Honkong, 3rd January, 1885 Sir.—I have the honour to forward for the Blue Book the Annual Roturns and Report

belonking to this Department. .

. The following is the report of the Head-Muston

the Government Central School for last

2.—On 16th February a large number of fornounced the foundation in his honour of a will not work, or who are disorderly, should be scholarship to be called the "Stewart Scholar- charged before the Magistrates as rogues and ship.". Their committee have decided to award | vagabonds. this Scholarship annually to the boy who gots the highest marks in all English Subjects, together with Translation from and into Chinese. The Scholarship is intended to be of the value of \$100 a year for three years; but

laid the foundation stone of the new Victoria Justices of the Gaol would of course inspect the College, which event was builed with joy by all arrangements, and doubtless all necessary in-15th or of Mr. Sanvlet's reported sudden death. statement at present as to the cause of the detent friends of the Central School, as well as by formation as to the character and conduct of masters and scholars, who are anxious to reap the men relieved would be given to persons with the advantages, to health and progress in any reasonable ground for asking it education, which will be afforded by the fine building now about to be erected. The conver- | rangements suggested above will put it in the sion of the ground selected into a site for the power of any charitable person at once to pro building and play-ground, a large and solid | vide any destitute, at a merely nominal expense, undertaking, is nearly completed and the founda- with the necessaries of life. The class of protions of the walls of the building have appeared | fessional idlers will doubtless very much prefer

studies in England, granted by the Colonial dured in the Government Shelter. That mand, on the charge of having caused the death Government, at the suggestion of His Excellency in the Gaol, that the men are looked in, prospention in such cases as this, where the | when it is remembered that the boysare at the | be a fullura; if not, it may be a success. lower limit of age (only just turned 17) and that The hearing of the case occupied the greater | they had barely 8 months in which to read for | were John Jones, seeman, Evan Evans and Latin were taken by myself; the Mathematical be, Sir, Your most obedient Servants, William Macdonald, firemen, Thomas Pettle, subjects by Mr. Arthur (Acting Second Maschief officer, Medland, cook, all belonging to the tor); and English History by Mr. Falconer. The Bill for the Preservation of Wild Birds. crew of the vessel; Dr. Marques, as to the cause (Acting Superintendent of Victoria Gael) who

> the First Class. should commit the case for trial, and asked him outside the Government Service Daring 4 years Mr. Caldwell proved an efficient and suc-Mr. Wotton said he had some witnesses whom | cessful master in the Proparatory and Lower Schools, his classes obtaining a high percentage

lastic point of view no doubt the study of ance, who on refusal to give the same becomes tion he went ashore with the prisoner. They was deprived by death, of the valuable services each had two glasses of liquor ashore, and return- of Mr. McKinney. Mr. McKinney joined the ed on board at about eight o'clock perfectly Colonial Service in-1870, and having served sober. After having some conversation together successively in the Police Force and Survey on board, they bade each other good night, and Department was appointed to the Central School wards. Presently Macdonald went on deck and i mination and perseverance of his character, that returned directly after with the defendant. They he succeeded in becoming, not only at excellent all had some friendly talk together, after which i master in English and Mathematical Subjects, Dayis went on dock, and soon after witness but also a fair Chinese scholar above the average of students.

together with the previous temporary transfer be useless, and I assume are not required. broken his head against the steam pipe, and he i of Mr. Falconer to the Gaol and Mr. Hutchison in a very bad temper, and called out that he did progress of the school this year. 7. Mr. Dealy, successor to Mr. Caldwell, ther Russian, Turk, or Swiss; he would fight arrived on the 1st of December. He was trained

the best man among them and if bester that at S. Mary's Hammersmith, and his been in night he would fight till cock crow. He said charge of a school in Derby. Just before he this in the carpenter's cabin, and witness and the left England, Mr. Dealy passed the Intermediate others tried to pacify him, while the carpenter Examination for the degree of BA at the sang a song to amuse him. The deceased, how- London University, being placed in the First ever, only appeared to become the more excited. Division.

and the more pugnacious. The defendant told | 8 .- Since the 1st of June Mr. Chaps, who him not to make a row on Sunday night, and acted successfully in this capacity for twelve decessed replied that he would have it out with months on a previous occasion. was Acting him if he (defendant) would take his shirt off. Assistant Master, in lice of Mr. Calivell until The defendant said he had no quarrel with any- Mr. Dealy's arrival, and is now continuing his one, but the deceased said he had a quarrel with | services, until the arrival of Mr. Jones, Mr. McKinney's successor.

9 .- The following changes are to be noted among the Chinese Assistante .- Mr. Alarahia was transferred to the Observatory, Mr. Li King pau to the Public Works Department, and Mr. Wat Paktai to the Registrar General's Office. 10.—As many difficulties were found to attend I the custom of allowing boys the us of books. in the stokehole, and complained that his heart had which on promotion or on finally laving the stopped beating. He also complained of general school they returned into store, a new plan has

debility, and he suffered from seres and severe been, with His Excellency's permission adopted skin eruptions, believing himself that his blood this year, by which the boys pay two dollars a was in a very bad state. When in liquor the piece extra per annum (\$12 instead of \$10), and in return for this become possessors of all the 11 .- With regard to alterations in the course

GRO. H. BATESON WRIGHT, M.A. Head Master

REPORT ON THE SUBJECT OF

lency the Governor to enquire into the subject of itself to give France far too great an enhance. We English people can sympathize with of Destitutes in this Colony have taken the vari- ment of influence in China, and although the is Franco in all sincerity, as we ourselves are in

taken to keep the Colony clear of them. The fighting, it is absolutely necessary, to prey on good-natured people.

SIE, I have the honour to acquaint you that | ment Casual Ward should be instituted, and that the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have it should be called simply the Shelter. There proposed to sorevise the boundary of the Chinese | would appear to be no alternative but to attach Station, as to draw the limits Southof the Pe- it to the Gaol, where in fact such an institution

I have acquainted their Lordships, that I con- 4.—The Committee recommend that admission particulars the giver of the ticket would be re-Australian Station, and the South Boundary of improbability that these details would be always or even often supplied, the Committee are not prepared to suggest that they should be made compulsory. Each ticket should cover board 2 N. Latitude, and along that parallel to and lodging for 24 hours, and should not be transferable. Such tickets should be sold at the Treasury, in books of 20, the price of each book

5.-The Committee further recommend that if it can be arranged at a moderate expense permanent advertisements should be inserted in the Newspapers explaining this system, and dissuading benevolent persons from relieving destitutes with money.

6.—Books of Tickets for free distribution should be furnished to the Harbour Master, the Captain Superintendent of Police, the Police Magistrates, and to other Heads of Departments, if they find it necessary to have them.

7.—The Committee consider it essential that after the first two days' residence by any destitute in the Shelter, it shall be within the cretion of the Superintendent of the Gad to require him to perform a reasonable amount of 1.—The past year has been an eventul one for moderate labour as the condition of his obtaining further relief, time and opportunity being afforded him each day to look for employmen mer scholars of the Central School presented on It would be understood also that habitual fre Address to the late headmaster, the Honograble quenters of the Shelter who show no desire to F. Stewart, LL.D., and at the same time and got their living, or to leave the Colony, who

> 8.-Lists of the men inhabiting the Shelter should be forwarded to the Shipping Office

9.—It may be found necessary to keep a Re gister of the inmates of the Shelter, with dates for the present, the first will be the mly instal- of admission and discharge, &c. These details, however, will be best arranged as the scheme On 26th April, His Excellency the Governor gradually grows into shape. The Visiting hip, and are not merciful. 10.—The Committee consider that the

the old system of indiscriminate pecuniary re-3.—The first examination for the Government | Not. Charitable persons must therefore expect Scholarship of £200 a year for prosention of to be told frightful stories of the hardships enof John Davis, a fireman of the same vessel, on the Governor, was held in December. There they have to do the work that convicts do-all were only two candidates, both from the Coutral this will be arged in the shope of exterting the School; the successful one being Mr. W. Bos- accustomed dollar to be spent in drink. If well-His Worship remarked at the commencement | man with 788 out of 1,100 possible marks, while | meaning but mistaken persons listen to these of the hearing that he believed it was usual for Mr. C. F. G. Grimble obtained 633 marks. This i stories, and persist in throwing money away on the Crown Solicitor to conduct the case for the result must be considered very estisfactory, men whose only desire is to be idle, the plan will peace, or for confidence in its maintanance.

11.—Until, however, the enquiries which the part of the day the morning being taken up by the Scholarship. The special classes, required ports are complete, and Legislative measures the examination of the witnesses for the prosecu- by the extra subjects for the scholarship, entail- based on their results can be adopted, the sugtion, whose evidence has been already published edextra hours of instruction outside the usual prestions of this Report can be regarded as tent in connection with the inquest. These witnesses school hours. The Literature subjects and lative only.—The Committee have the honour to A. LISTER.

 ${f T}$ reasurer. W. M. DEANE. Captain Supt. of Police. MURRAY RUMSEY. Acting Harbour Master. A. FALCONER Acting Supt., Victoria Gach. ALFRED G. WISE: Acting Registrar.

The Honourable W. H. MARSH, C.M.G. REPORT BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF

VICTORIA-GAOL-Victoria Gaol. Hongkong, 13th May, 1885. I have perused and considered the Report of Committee appointed by His Excellency the Governor to enquire into the gabject of Datitutes in this Colony. 2.-I am as yet so unfamiliar with the general

conditions of the Colony that any observations 6.—The permanent loss of these two masters; of mine on the general scheme proposed would 3.—As fur as the suggestions made affect the held his hand to his head. He appeared to be to the Post Office, has naturally told on the Gaol administration, there seems to me to be ac difficulty in carrying out the arrangements sur-

> 4.—It must be borne in mind, however, that much more satisfactory arrangement if eleeping

-while their meals would be supplied to them 5.—The suggestion in para 7 that after two about a rebellion in the South and West. days' shelter destitutes should be made liable to

work seems to me not sufficiently stringent, and I think it would be better to adopt the practice of English Casual Wards, that every able bodied person who obtains food and shelter should perform a moderate amount of work, say three hours' work in the day. The plan proposed of giving two days' food and lodging without exacting labour would perhaps tend rather to off the invader-knows that in her 300 millions encourage the idle. Such persons would very of people there are all the elements, physical likely accept food and shelter only for the two and moral for making the nation into an days during which no work was assigned them. and would then leave, to return again for another had better stay awhile, husband her sons, and in two days after a short interval. A. GORDON.

Supt. Victoria Gaol THE FRANCO-CHINESE PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

The N. C. Daily News of the 16th instant

It is not necessary for us to do more than that a modus vivendi has now been arrived at bere of the Customs service have been summoned SIR .- The Committee appointed by His Excel- tween Fokien and Formosa, would be sufficient of the military sciences of the West. sate her for the restricted area likely to fall toher the socursed regions of the Soudan from which 2.—The Committee consider that Legislative lot in Tonquin itself, it is searcely likely that the place the seals of many brave Englishmen will

main evil to be oversome would seem to be the the prestige of France. that some supplemistaken charity which finds its outcome in in mentary advantage should be thrown into the discriminate distribution of money to men who scale. But, however much of truth there may have no intention of working so long as they can be in the statement to which we have referred, it would be manifestly unwise to act upon the con-S.—The Committee consider that a Govern- viction that a definite and permanent settlement has been arrived at between France and China. Misunderstandings are of sufficiently probable occurrence, and these would lead to haggling and an indefinite prolongation of negotiations which would continue to embarrasstrade. Direct-Tientsin it will be safe to conclude that a Treaty has been framed and signed; but till then, we can be sure of nothing. a few days ago, are now more acoptical and many who occupy positions of trust in the local yamens do not speak hopefully with ragard to either the success of the correspondence countries or the permanency of whatever agree-The following correspondence appears in the

> The French negociations have not yet begun in Tientsin, though they are progressing vicorously between this city and Paris. A political Treaty is to be concluded there, and the commoroial Treaty will be arranged afterwards sither here or in Tientsin. The Chinese are pressing the French hard, and with considerable success, and there is every probability of the French compation of Tonquin being restricted to the Delta. This will give France practically the Bourée Treaty, and possibly without even the nontral zone for which that instrument would have provided. The danger is that when the French Treaty comes to be presented in Chinese to the Government at Peking they will say they never meant that, and the matter may have to be discussed all over again. The Protocol-as it has been called-signed in Paris on the 4th April, is said to be in very indifferent French, translated nodoubt from equally indifferent English, which in turn was translated from exquisite but untranslateable Chineson. I'hore must always be on element of questainty in negotiating at such long range.

The commercial Treaty will probably be mere form. This is a pity; but France seems to have been suddouly infected with the Gladstone mania for capitulation and under the circumstances the Chinese cannot be much blamed for taking advantage of it.

Nothing has been done vet in the way of negociations with France. gressing in Paris, where I believe the French are enjoying a particularly mauvile quart d'heure. The Chinese have caught tham on the

A number of Memorials have been presented to the Throne by the Consors denoming the Preliminaries of Peace signed by Mr. Campbell at Paris on 4th April, on the ground that while Chinese troops evacuate Tonquin French troops are to remain in Formosa, and the rice blockade is retained until the Definitive Treaty: has been concluded. .. The storm somewhat resembles that raised against the Fournier Convention last year, and is equally unreasonable. But the chief Ministers of the Tsung-li Yamon have heen so alarmed by it that several of them have taken sick-leave for various periods, and the Yamen is meantine left without any competent direction. Who was really responsible for the Paris Preliminaries is not generally known, but as musy as are able seem aggious to escape from the responsibility, which is not a good omen for

Nothing has yet been done between Mr. Patenotre and the Chinese Commissioners. It is said the Chinese have demanded the recornition of their suzerainty over Tonquin and the ontward expression of it by the resumption of tribute. A neutral zone of some kind is also spoken of, while some persons think the French will be forced back on the Delta and lead a dog's life even there.

FROM THE "SHANGHAI COURIER" OF TH

THENTSIN, 12th May. The prospects of peace between China and France are not bright. The war party is strong and active, the great officials of the southern provinces-like the soldiers and their leaders—are against peace, and recommend a continuance of war until the French invaders are repelled or destroyed, and the Peking censorate denounces the terms of the preliminary treaty made in Paris. The convention of Paris will be received not favourably but with hostility, and the Peking Yamen will cavil at every phrase. The mood of the time is very unfortunate for both disputants, and betokens calamity. The losses of China in the war have been out of all proportion to the results gained by the reckless sacrifices of Chinese lives. Peasants, hardy, courageous, and most enduring men, having been hurled against the disciplined columns of France, and slaughtered by French rifles, cannon, and machine guns. The loss in actual fight has been the least. Chinese go to war without transport, commissariat, surgeons or hospitals. The men live on the country as they can. If they get no food from the rayaged towns and villages, they dis of starvation. The camps were wasted by fever, small box, dysentery, and for the sick there was no medicine except some pills of crude opium. the Gael is already somewhat evererowded, and The mortality has been appalling. Trade is at may be more so, when it would become highly an end, the crops have been ungathered or inconvenient to afford sleeping accommodation to wasted, the able bodied men of Yunnan and such essuals. I think therefore it would be a Kwangsi have been expended without stint and the expenditure has been often of the most proaccommodation for such destitutes could be pro- face and reckless kind. Peace for China therevided elsewhere—perhaps a room for this purpose fore is necessary, materially and morally. If might be made available in the Police barracks the race of Chinese men is still squandored at a frightful rate the survivors will resist and revolt. A continuance of the war will certainly bring

> As China has learnt her lesson and knows that her sons can face the foe fearless of death-knows that her leaders of mon can apprehend the strategic arts of the west, and can in a measure, cope on not too inferior terms with the mesters of war from militant Franceknows that the Chinese people are proud, and are ready to make all required sacrifices to beat irresistible and conquering military power—sho a few years when she has a financial and fiscal system, a central direction, a sufficient amount of discipline with the readiness that follows. careful preparation, make a new departure. But now exhaustion is coming upon her, her undisciplined efforts are ruinous from their waste, and the loss of life-men thrown away in un-equal conflict-will depopulate Kwangsi and Kwangtang, two provinces which have not yet begun even to recover from the destroying effect of the intensate Taeping war.

even agonizing. The Chinese know that war in-Europe will come soon, and may break out in a Correspondent's letter, the report that a settle- | delay, debate, evade, raise hindrances, enter into tion. If France does not reinforce her armies in Tonquin, as the men are disheartened; sufferpeace which, judging by arternal appearance, did the campaign should re-open if peace is not not previously seem near. The fact that a diffi- made—that the Chinese troops, numerous, bold, ing parties about the Pescadores was referred will be able to destroy the French divisions. If to by us on Thursday; it must however, have been reinforcements are to be sent from France they felt that France would scarcely be so mad as to must leave Toulon and Marseilles not later than endanger peace for the sake of the Pescadores, August, and be accompanied by vast stores of and if, as is now reported, she is siming at what munitions of war for a very difficult campaign. would be the virtual occupation of those Islands, more difficult than that just closed by the rewe think no other reason is required to explain cent armistice of Paris, against Chinese troops the delay in negotiations. Indeed the position who have the consciousness of being victors, and tion of the Islands, lying as they do be led by men who now comprehend the principles

titutes as must always present themselves in been pressing the French hard; the Republicis made the most forious and sustained ensets on

forence to the Control School, but a somewhat similar point with regard to St. Joseph's College is raised. Referring to the CHEMISTS. unsatisfactory results obtained in English composition in Standards V. and VI. in this school, Dr. EITEL says :-- "The defect lies, I

specially referred to by Dr. Errer with re-

believe, in the fact that nearly all the

scholars of the College are Portuguese, to

eign, but who, strange to say, do not first

neither to read nor write Portuguese, know-

ing their own language only colloquially.

They make very good progress in the lower

Standards, because they devote all their

schooltime to English studies whilst in other

schools half the time is devoted to teaching

the scholars to master their respective native

language; but when these Portuguese youths

reach the higher Standards, though excelling

in arithmetic, grammar, and history, they

of the difference in structure and idiom

which distinguish the two languages, they

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advanced English studies. Whether Portuguese may be useful for scholastic purposes examination. **Н**омокома, Мат 25тв, 1885. in the sense indicated by Dr. Erren we THE annual report of Dr. EITEL, Inspector tical use in the business of life it is of extremely small value. It is not, in this part of the world, a language useful in commerce, nor is it even spoken in its purity, the Macuense using only a patois. Moreover, the Portuguese who settle in Hongkong become that the maestro is still alive and well. British subjects, and it is therefore desirable that English should become their natural far as this colony is concerned, if the Portuguese language, as spoken by a large proportion of its residents, would die out altogether. disadvantage, and although we would not advocate the drastic measures adopted by Russia or Germany with reference to the language of three hundred millions of people | market. - N. C. Daily News. close at hand with whom the colony has channels of communication between this vast should have a good knowledge of both land liberty to consider solely the general in- do not apply to Portuguese. From a schothat language has its advantage, but scarcely, we think, to the extent Dr. Errer to learn one language than two cannot be lost sight of, especially in elementary schools where the pupils remain only a few

As regards the general state of education scholars of the other school. Here it would in the colony Dr. Errer records the gratifying fact that the number of children attending schools of one kind or another is steadily seem paradorical to say that the better the increasing from year to year. It is still, however, far below what it ought to be, especially death of one of our well known and highly with regard to girls. The total number of children of school age in the colony is estimated at 20,000, but we think ought to-be was a keen sperting man, and was part owner of taken at a lower figure, as Dr. Errer includes in this number all below the age of ner of the Maiden Plate on the 12th inst. Mr. sixteen, whereas the great majority must no. Gok Lee was at the race course on the 14th cessarily leave school and commence work at fourteen or earlier. The total number of children attending school is 7,885, the pro- in, after which he complained of a pain in portion of girls to boys being as one to three. This is a vast improvement on what it was ton years ago, when the proportion was only as one to eight. The improvement in the attendance of girls was effected chiefly in the man Catholic mission here, having recently built earlier part of the decade, and in 1879 had reached the propertion as compared with that of boys of one to four, so that during the last five years only small progress has

ing corresponding advantages.

been made. This is the most important commercial integrity, and many old Straits subject touched upon in the whole of the re- people now at home, who know him well, will port. Why is it that the ratio of improvement in the attendance of girls has been lowered, and what can be done to increase it? These are questions more easily asked to have fallen upon a bed of roses. The following handle in his hand when he passed he should have the upon a bed of roses. The following handle in his hand when he passed he should have the upon a for the 214 Radicals, several of which are of little least, do not involve the absolute alienation of without a proper base for military operations. than answered, but they deserve the most serious attention on the part of the Govern- should command the sympathy of the whole of Rhosing, said that on the evening of the 17th he boys will never use. ment, for it is to the apread of female edu. Shanghai. I refer to Captain Superintendent was in the forecastle of the vessel talking to some cation that we must look for the ameliora-

Three French men-of-war and one store-ship and disastrously sold over this Shanghei ap- to the forces will be so much depleted, were off Chinhse on the 18th instant, and one pointment; he is simply too good for it. Where he heard the deceased swearing saying that obedient Servant, French gunbost was anchored off the Volcanous, as in Hongkong he used to be one of the most he wanted to fight the best man in the sity of the change above referred to, that Shanghai Waterworks Company, held in London atmosphere of Shanghai and the clium attach. get into collision with the steam pipe, and fall on the 14th instant, a dividend at the rate of 4 ing to the position of our Captain Superintent impon his face and hands upon the iron deck. The per cent. was declared .- Mercury.

We understand that the applications for the to the interest of individual scholars, and Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, of bonds to be allotted. The Tientain correspondent of the Mercury

savs:—The two Armstrong emisers in command

of Admiral Ting and Captain Sebelin left with

sealed orders—it is pretty well known for Port Hamilton, because China has strongly protested

of that institution should not be confined to stating that he was not the oulprit, but his bro- haps a demonstrative man, and to open out Court, ball being allowed in two sureties of \$200 totion, as it will bring the men under observation of the counter attack of the French that instrument provided withstood the counter attack of the French that instrument provided withstood the counter attack of the French that instrument provided withstood the counter attack of the French that instrument provided withstood the counter attack of the French that instrument provided withstood the counter attack of the French that instrument provided with the counter attack of the French that instrument provided with the counter attack of the French that instrument provided with the counter attack of . English teaching. This question is not ther, who was still at large.

The Government Astronomer's report for August last is published in Saturday's Gazette. The French gunbont Brandon arrived at

Catholic Cathedral this afternoon at six o'clock We have to acknowledge receipt of the Imperial Maritime Customs Gazette for the first

It is reported that the steamer Waverley,

rived here vesterday from Pakhei, reports that

House of Lords on the offers of military assistappear to think and feel not in English but in Portuguese, and having no practical idea ance from the Colonies, and Her Majesty's

find themselves signally at a loss when called forms bearing an impressed stamp of \$3. upon to express their thoughts and feeling independently in correct and idiomatic Eng-It is notified in the Gasette that the Ordinance lish on any given subject." If this be true to amend Ordinance 7 of 1873 and the Unclaimed Balances Ordinance have been confirmed and of Portuguese, surely it is even more so of allowed by Her Majesty, and they are proclaimed

Portuguese youths, to whom the English over to the Kowloon and Cosmopolitin docks being driven back discomfited. The bravery respectively. The British barque Madura goes and energy of Our officers and men upon this oclanguage is not their mother-tongue nor the over to Kowloon to-day.

language of their home-life, should first of all be set to master the Portuguese examiners and notice to condidutes for masters, and mates' certificates of competency. The language before they are put to more purport is that, the success of candidates is to

There would seem to be some reason for will not now stay to consider, but for prac- doubting whether the report of the death of have Shanghai papers up to the 18th, and find no mention in them either of a geneert on the We kope our doubts may be substantiated, and tion of the guards at Alexandria.

A tennis party at Kowloon on Saturday aftertongue. It would, in fact, be an advantage, so a fowling piece falling amongst them. One A multiplicity of languages in use in any par- for them was made at the time; but without sucticular country is generally recognised as a cess. The gun had apparently been discharged

represents. A knowledge of almost any lan- For some days past alarming reports have been guage is a decided advantage when learning circulated regarding the presence of cholera in witness went forward to the carpenter's cabin, in December, 1878. To a large extent selfsuch as the state of the careful inquiries, we learn and Davis and Macdonald came in soon aftereducated, it speaks very highly for the deteranother, but the plain fact that it is easier that nearly all the cases that have occurred have Government brickfields, and the Hon. Major Joseph's College would simply be to introduce an additional subject which would oc- and dirty. There have been no cases there cupy a large amount of time without yield.

> has been completed stamped out. We (Straits Times) have to record the sudden respected Chinese traders, Mr. Lee Gek Lee, who died at Singapore on the 15th instant owing to the bursting of a blood vessel. Mr. Gek Lee Prophet and of one or two China ponies at the last races, and part owner of Burraner, the wininstant, in apparent good health and spirits, but we understand that in driving home his horse got restive, and he had hard work to rein him for, but he sank gradually and died about noon. been a generous contributor to the Chinese Roat his own expense the fine new paroshial hoose of St. Peter's Church in Queen Street, besides giving many other liberal donations to that church. He was well and favourably known to quent dealings as a man of probity and strict

In making the change from the Hongkong he came back, and he did not see what happened. Anglo-Chinese Classes more practically useful Civil Service to the Superintendency of Police but he heard something clink like a chain. Wit by introducing the translation of short English at Shanghai, Mr. J. P. McEuen does not seem hess thought if the defendant had the iron bucket sentences into Chinese, and substituting a Table is that the Pescadores shall remain in the posses- few weeks, and that for France to have a large nese social system, and more especially the most distinguished service into a better position them they drank two bottles of the liquor in half. 13.—In the past year 6, boys have entered the to Peking lends it undoubted support. After in Tonquin, as the men are disheartened; suffered in the past year 6, boys have entered the to Peking lends it undoubted support. After in Tonquin, as the men are disheartened; suffered in the past year 6, boys have entered the to Peking lends it undoubted support. After in Tonquin, as the men are disheartened; suffered in the past year 6, boys have entered the to Peking lends it undoubted support. After in Tonquin, as the men are disheartened; suffered in the past year 6, boys have entered the to Peking lends it undoubted support. After in Tonquin, as the men are disheartened; suffered in the past year 6, boys have entered the to Peking lends it undoubted support. After in Tonquin, as the men are disheartened; suffered in the past year 6, boys have entered the top of the liquor in half. It is the unexpected which generally happens, ing from sickness and short supplies, suffered in the past year of boys have obtained employment in professional and the suddenness with which the armistice by swamps and boy, prayed on by sun by day and for stating that Captain McEuen has been utterly had a talk with the last witness. He returned and mercantile firms and 2 in the Dock Com- was concluded, and the equal suddenness of the by fever at night, wasted by dysentery and genial and widely liked members of the society ship. Witness again went on deck, to the At the annual meeting of shareholders in the of that colony, here it seems that the cynical starboard side of the hatch, and he saw Davis The Honourable W. H. Marsh, C.M. G. Colonial culty had been experienced between the contract confident, and with numberless men in reserve. dent, have caused him to retire into his shott deceased sang out that he was killed. Some time For Superintendent McEuen in Shanghai is after that he saw Davis fall upon the defendant, not the same man as Harbour Master McEnen and afterwards give him a shove. Davis walked Chinese 1885 dollar loan, issued through the of Hongkong. What was wanted here was away, but returned immediately, and soon after more of a time server, and perhaps the intense he passed witness heard someone call out "what's that the examinations held under it do not have been considerably in-excess of the number change from provious administrations to the that." He crossed over-tothe other side of the gialative Council on Friday: almost too honourable directorate of Captain vessel and saw Davis lying on the deck, appaover which he presides and may be a factor in ining him.

publicly, he could shake things up a little

deceased became very violent and quarrelsome. Thomas Ryan, fireman of the same ship, stated | books they require, much to the gratification of that he was sitting on the main batch on the night | the boys and with some gain to the Tressury of the 17th inst., and while thore he saw the decessed and the defendant struggling together near of studies, the Reading Books have been adthe fore batch, and he saw Davis fall heavily on vanced one Standard throughout the school top of the latter. While the defendant was getting the mathematical studies of the Upper School up Davis pushed him violently, but the former got are of a higher standard than formerly; English up and went aft, while Davis, who was very drunk, History is now extended to the 3rd Class and fall against the winch Witness did not see English Composition to the 4th Class; an atwhether Brown had snything in his hand when tempt has moreover, been made to make the

McEuen has been too much for the department | rently dead, with Evans hending over and exammaking him in a medsure unpopular. For Capt. John Jones, re-called, stated that when the de-McEnen when set down here amidst a perfect ceased fell he had his back to the defendant, and our points releved to them into consideration, naturally anxious to gain something to compen- an equally had and insutricable predicament in sink of bribery, corruption, and squeezing, is if the latter struck him it must have been on the and begr to report as follows would stamp it clean out. It is a pity that the and he said that the defendant and Davis were titutes, but that such measures can tever be ex- lishment of a French mayal station commanding. Letters from Tonquin say that in the recent

on Saturday by Mr. Mackean, the complainant difficulties and disheartenings. If he were per- at the next Criminal Sections of the Supreme think, to decrease rather than to increase desti- still, if the Bource Treaty, without the next Criminal Sections of the Supreme think, to decrease rather than to increase desti- still, if the Bource Treaty, without the next Criminal Sections of the Supreme think, to decrease rather than to increase desti-

this trouble about the police, there is one who John Spleen, another fireman belonging to the use outside the native dictionary, which these the native dictionary, which there is one who leave the native dictionary, which there is one who leave the native dictionary, which there is one who leave the native dictionary, which there is one who leave the native dictionary, which there is one who leave the native dictionary, which there is one who leave the native dictionary, which there is one who leave the native dictionary, which there is one who leave the native dictionary, which there is one who leave the native dictionary, which there is one who leave the native dictionary, which there is one who leave the native dictionary is one who leave the native dictionary. 12 -As the Annual Examination will as usual, ment of any sort has been achieved does not endless discussions, and use all the arts and wiles J. P. McEnen. From being one of the most others when Macdonald and three others come in, not take place till the end of January, I must strike us as inherently very probable; on the of Oriental diplomacy to stay, prevent, and popular of Government officials in Hongkong, each having a bottle of gin in his hand. There defer comments on the work done since last other hand, the fact that certain French mem slude. Then there is the urgent military question of many of the ills that afflict the Chi- where he had worked himself up by years of were then six men in the forecastle, and between February, until the next Annual Report.

The following report was presented to the La-

tion, and will emable persistent menures to be is to be the outcome of these two years regiments. The loss of the Chinese must have

For France the dilemma is most painful, and

been frightful, but as men fell others came for- China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$101 ward. The French less in a few days was 1,500 per share, Sales.

men. No blame attaches to General Negrier, China Sugar Refining Company (Debeutures) whose army was simply overwhelmed by the strength and fury of the Chinese onslaught. Enton Sugar Refining Company, Limited -371 General Brière de l'Isle also had to encounter per share.
some very hard fighting, as the Black flag bands Hongkong Ico Company's Shares—3140 per attacked him incessantly, night and day, and gave his force no rest. These Chinese troops, who a year ago ran at Bacninh in the most disgraceful way, without Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company even waiting to behold their enemy, are now led . —840 per share.

by resolute leaders, and fight just as well as Solangor Tin Mining Company—313 per share. Afghans or Soudeness. Some of these days Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 35 per China will astonish the Muscovites. The value of General Ignetiel's treaty of 1880 as a per- Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company. L manent document, to endure for all-time, is not now considerable, and if some of the Chinese generals who have marched and counter-marched against Negrier, and have faced him in stubborn fight should be ordered to Manchuria, there will be some surprises in St. Petersburg, which until lately has regarded the Chiness military power as Monsieur Jules Ferry did:—" quantité ALLEGED EXCESSIVE DEMANDS BY CHINA. We have a letter from Peking dated 12th May. It says .- "The Chinese Government now requires France to give in the treaty now under negotiation a clear recognition of the suzerain rights of the Emperor of China over the vassal kingdom of Aunam; also requires an engagement that tribute shall be paid yearly as heretofore. This demand has taken the French Government by surprise, and signs are not wanting that, provided this modest request of China is acceded to, other conditions of similar hard nature will follow. Whether the treaty 5 7 will be successfully concluded is now a most uncertain matter." Another correspondent, also in Peking, says that China has now in Tonquin and on the lines M. 25. of frontier, over 120,000 soldiers, also that newregiments are being raised, drilled and armed. The newly raised man probably are armed with | W. 27 | m 7 756 old muskets and matchlocks or jingalls. A large quantity of arms and ammunition was captured from the French at Liangson and during the | P. 29 retreat of General Negrier to Chil. Judging from these two notes it would appear probable that the negotiations for peace will drag on until late in the autumn, unless China has some proof of the determination of France to have either an acceptable treaty, or indefault of that, to continue the war energetically. The rainy season has begun in Tonquin, and warlike operations cannot be carried on except by flotilla.
on the rivers until October or November next. In the time of summer and heat the Fronch losses by sickness will be very serious. Monsieur Patenotre, Minister of France, was in Tientsin on the 13th instant awaiting instructions, it is said. The whole discussions upon the new treaty are made in Paris and Poklug without reference to him or to the Viceroy Li Hung-chang, and it is reported that the unusual course which is being followed creates heartburning and discontent to the professional diplomatists. OTHER NEWS French proposals. France undertakes to westock, evacuate Keeling and the Pescadores as soon as the Chinese troops have evacuated Tonquin. So conflicting are the rumours that it is impossible to arrive at a conviction of what the true position of the negotiations is; but we believe it will be found that our suggestion on Friday last was correct, that the discussion is going on in Paris exclusively, and that some day peace will be announced as unexpectedly as the armistico was. FROM THE SHANGHAI MERCURY. TIENTSIN, 13th May, 1885. It is freely reported here that a hitch has occurred in the negotiations between France and China, It is said that China wants to fix the borders of Tonquin as in Mr. Bourée's Convention and not as in the Captain Fournier's; the Court at Hue is also to keep on sending Tribute to China. As far as is known from good authority these hitches are, merely diplomatic proposals to see how France is inclined to view, them and they will be withdrawn in due: The Shon Pao publishes the following letter from Peking :- "On the 8th instant, M. Patenotre received a telegraphic communication from Paris, which he had translated into Chinese by his interpreters and handed next day to the Imperial Commissioners. These in turn transmitted a resume of the despatch to the Tsung-l

Yamen by wire. A Memorial summarising the terms offered by the French was then presented to the Throne, and a Decree was issued authorising their acceptance by the Imperial Commissioners. The Treaty will thus be signed in a day or two. Of course nobody knows definitely what is contained in this document, but it is said to differ somewhat from the Li-Foursier Convention. The French on account of troubles at home, have not been exorbitant in their demands, and the Empress was ready to give her consent to the various clauses in the Treaty. The French are to evacuate the Pescadores and Kelung as soon as all Chinese troops are withdrawn from Tonguin."-New this evidently refers to the same matter as our (N. C. Daily News) telegram of the 9th instant, which we were in formed that the Protocol had been already signed; we expressed our scepticism about it on that occasion, and as we have already advices from Tientsin several days later, which virtually contradict the above assertions, we sourcely think that they can be accepted without

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27th inst., with Mails for Japan, San Francisco.

the United States, Canada, Honelula, Pera, &c.,

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### EXTRACT. QUEER STORIES.

A MASONIO SECRET. Mr. Samuel Tiniothy Jones was a retired | go unstairs and have some music." City merchant, who lived with his wife in a of Brixton. He was a man of five and forty. or thereabouts, with a tendency to stoutness. an -undebided manner, and a somewhat vacuous face, fringed with light sandy bair. Samuel Timothy had been in business with his two brothers in Mincing-lane; but, as been bought out some years before, and was a date was fixed for his initiation into the street. I wanted you to come to aburth now without any definite occapation. He mysteries of the craft. had been married for more than twenty years, but had no children; and time occasionally hung somewhat beavily on his bands. For his wife, Arabella, who, in spite of her protestations to the contrary, was serious turn of mind, who preferred to take her pleasures sadly, and in discreet moderation. Jones had long ago resigned all control. not only of his household, but of himself into her bands. She had married him -so are unable to spare in the daytime." people said, and he never contradicted them -by main force, and she had ruled him ever since with a rod of iron. So long as Jones was in business he did not very much care. He passed most of his days in the City, and, being a very easy going individual, spent a good part of them in loafing about his friends' -offices, in lunching liberally at various restaurants, and even is flirting. after an exceedingly mild fashion, with the lovely young ladies who adorned the City whispered Newton in his ear; "it's mighty "I declare it's nearly ten o'clock!" crit wine bars. But when Samuel was compelled

to stay for weeks and months together in

desperately dull tea-fight, he grew motose

and dow-spirited; and, on more than one

occasion; very nearly made up his mind to

defy his wife, and plunge into some wild

dissipation by way of asserting his long-lost

authority.

One of Mrs. Jones's most objectionable failings was her excessive and unreasonable jealoney. Her spouse was not a strikingly attractive man, but he could never even speak to a good-looking woman in her company without exciting her wrath. In church, which Mrs. Jones and her husband attended three times every Sunday and occasionally at the top end of the new next to the wall, and stationed herself beside him. watching his every movement. If his eyes abated even for a moment, Samuel was Freemasons." certain to be reminded of his delloquencies began seriously to contemplate the com- of Mr. Thomas Newton. parative advantage of swicide or flight to

It was at this interesting juncture that one morning, when Jones was walking to the Post office to buy his wife some stamps, he anddenly came across a small, dapper man, about his own age. whose fact seemed strangely familiar to him. Jones paused a moment, and stared; the other did the same. and after a mutual scruting, they shook hands with great ferrour and energy.

stranger. "Why, you are getting fat, and I must say don't look extra cheerful. Not the man you were half-a-dozen years ago." You never were much of a hand at compliments. Newton," replied Jones; " but I don't feel very brilliant. Now, trou don't look any the worse for going to China."

"You would, if you er we in my shoes."

missionary? Let's hour wil about it."

Samuel smiled grimly.

ball-t-afterwards. You want making no."

significantly in the direction of his home. wouldn't."

a talk, and Til tell you all about it."

Mr. Newton duly came to dinner, was, triumph that Mrs. Jones, who kept the key | tending all our meetings/ of the cellar, produced after dinner two Once a month ?" inquired the lady. bottles of a certain rare old port kept for the Yes, ordinary meetings once a month; epecial consumption of the Rer. Nicodemus, and there is an occasional extraordinary that this is one of the chief aims of Freemaand entirely forgot to notice whather or not lodge. I am afraid, bowever, that he will soury," added Nawton. ber sponse exceeded his usual allowance of find these a great bore as I thought I would two glasses. It was after the first bottle ask you to use your influence, as a personal voice somewhat broken from emotion. that Newton ventured to make a proposition, favour, Mrs. Jones, he added, in his most the andacity of which fairly took his host's geductive tones." breath away.

"I've been abroad so long," he said, "that agreed to all Mr. Newton's requirements. morrow, however, I am going to attend a that he and his brother Masons owed her a meeting of my lodge; fortunately Freemasons debt of gratitude they could never repay. never forget old friends. En Mr. Howler?"

"It is sertainly most useful," said Mr. "that I should do what I can for others. Howler, who had reasons of his own for fear my life has been terribly idle of late making appropriation of the lost vests, so I must try to make up for lost And the expense is very trifling," chimed time. I really had no idea that so much in Newton, " while one meets such charming good could be done by Free mesons."

and, in fact, so is every one worth knowing." that he had received a specially importan "We really must think it over Samuel," summons to attend his Lodge that evening said Mrs. Jones, who was in a strangely, and assist in the transaction of certain very

What are you driving at?" whispered last week," remonstrated his wife. comfortable villa somewhere in the direction Jones, as he followed Newton from the "Yes; it's a terrible nuisance," he answer dining-room. But that worthy only winked ed. But I'm afraid I cannot help it. portentously, and Jones was content, for shall be able, however, to leave early; so if he knew he was safe in his friend's can be of any use to you hands. How Tom Newton and Mr. Howler . "I am going with Mr. Howler to an even managed to secure his wife's consent Samuel ing service at some church near Regent could mever exactly discover, but inta very street, where Bishop of Quackimbo is going his timid and cautious nature did not agree few weeks time he was duly elected a to preach ; and afterwards I thought o with their more enterprising views, he had member of the Lucifer Lodge, No. 0201, and goldg to see old Mrs. Howler, in Margaret

"Hope you don't feel nervous, old chap," at Mrs. Howlet's." said Newton to Jones, on the afternoon of the fatal day, " it doesn't hurt much." Atthat moment Arabelta appeared . "I don't either meet you there or in Margaret-stree see why these ceremonics of yours should after service." generally understood to be considerably his not be held at a sensible bour of the day, senior, was a woman of strong will and instead of in the evening," she remarked, as Lodge, and Arabella to church, in compan if regretting her compliance.

"Dirkness'is absolutely essential for some of the rites," said Newton, solemnly, " and they take some time, which, of course, men And you cannot be home to dinner; Samuel? " inquired his wife.

I'll not be late." So Jones departed under his friend's wing Mr. Howler and his mother and enjoyed to the meeting-place of the lodge. He duly long and improving conversation, the chi underwent the ordeal of initiation, and, in topics of which were her own manife an hour or so, was enrolled as an apprentice wirtues and the lamentable wickedness

dull. I've a better game on than that." "What are you up to now?" asked the Mr. Jones ?" "his suburban solitude, with no relaxation other, as they left the chamber of torture. "He must have been detained," said M I feel fit for anything. By Jove, Tom, Howler, looking rather uncomfortable. you're a perfect miracle! I-L don't know "Well. I must be going. He's sure n how much Towe you!" . . .

I'll show you a little life." "I assure you, my dear Arabella," said . " What did the dear Bishop mean by Samuel, to the wife of his bosom that night, asking us to seek out vice even in its most "it was a most impressive ceremony. It is loathsome haunts, and to try to convince its

and distinguished a body." "I think you said that ladies are never Regent circus. " admitted?" she inquired, suspiciously... age to pass the evening?"

pious and elequent man. By the bye, he is a baunt of vice-a theatre?" asked me what you would subscribe towards ... Well, b-m perhaps not. A music-hall, his mission. I said £100, which we can well however, might be what the Bishop meant."

"Well, I must not betray secrets; but I hall !" in an unpleasant fashion at the earliest suppose there is no objection to my giving " I beg your pardon ?" opportunity. So matters went on: Mr. Jones you a sort of general idea." And he probecame daily more depressed, and his wife ceeded to give her a very general idea indeed; sisted, with alarming firmness; "take me to more autocratic, until the unhappy man which had emanated from the fertile brain one at once, I mean to see what sort of

"How often does the lodge meet?" asked are!" Mr. Jones, about a fortnight later, of Mr. And the looked as if she meant to make Newton, who had taken a furnished house things decidedly unpleasent for any stray

Once a month. "She'll never let me out as often as that," sighed the Benedick.

"Sam Jones, as I'm alive!" cried the good on."

bour, and left her more convinced than, ever abhorronce. of his many admirable qualities...

"What's the matter then being money? Enging feet as of old; he occasionally but she gathered a confused impression of a "Mrs. J's right enough, and I've left the fit of his couts and the glossiness of his scantily-dressed young person sang, or rather Fact is, old chap, I'm bored to hats, and altogether seemed to take a thore shouled, a comic song, in the chorde of which cheerful view of life and its burdens, many of the spectators joined, amid much "You don't say so ! Come and have Moreover, he went to church oftener than stamping of feet and jinging of glasses. and paid more attention to the fervid which various small knots of people were Angle-Indiau May 11, Th. Robber Brit, bx 441 Paston & Co "Can't," said Jones, dismally; "never eloquence of the Rev. Nicodemus Howler, engaged in imbibling all kinds of liquors. dine out now," and he jerked his head When that reverend gentleman suggested " What a terrible place!" gasped Arabella. Bessie that he aught to contribute more largely to But the Rev. Nicodemus heard her not, Carca Venture Feb. 27 Uresaidi Why, you don't mean to say you're kept | various funds for the regeneration of man- for his attention was fixed on one of the as that. Man alive, why do you stand it? I kind-of which the Reverend Nicodemus aforesaid groups, then, suddenly giving a Else was the treasurer—he never grumbled as sort of shudder, he averted his eyes, as if

husband, But dise with us to morrow the utinost slacrity. However closely Mrs. cold douche. instead. It's, precious slow, but I believe Jones watched him, she failed to detect those "Yes, as you were saying," he stammered. Goodelt Mr. Howler is coming to arrange, some wandering glances which Samuel used to "we had better go; this is not a place I Helene church business, so we shall be able to have bestow upon attractive young ladies in his should care to be recognized in, and ...... " H'land Light peaceful suburb, and he never asked for a But, urged by some fattal impulse, Arabella Mr. Thomas Newton had in yours gone third glass of port. Indeed, so obvious were turned towards the group which so affected loss of port. by been one of Jones's most intimate friends. the softening and elevating influences of Mr. Howler, and how eyes dilated with L. Arrenire They had attended St. Paul's School to Freemasonry upon her husband's character, horror and amazement. There she saw her Lennox Castle Oct. 31 Sabrid gether as boys, and at about the same age that the good lady often wished that she husband in company with Mr. Newton and a Livingstone May 24 Steffers had been started in life as clerks in Mincing. | could become a Freemuson berself, in order couple of stylishly-pressed young ladies, to Madura lener. They had always stood up for each to participate in how busband's happiness, whom they were talking with great anima. Mountairo, other in after-life, had backed each other's Sometimes, too, Newton or Jones would tion: The magnetism of ber gaze must have Nardoo bills, and engaged in risky enterprises and bring to her upuse high dignitaries of the bad some secret influence upon Samuel Wew City bills, and engaged in risky enterprises and bring to her nouse high dignitures of the bad some sector indicate upon is in it. M. Slade mild dissipations together. Needless to say order—Past Masters, Knights Templats, Timothy, for hardly had it been fired on him. R. Pendleton that in all their common pursuits Newton Ruights of St. John, members of the Rose a minute before he turned, as if startled, and R. E. Woodwas the leader. His brain priginated every. Oroix, and gentlemen entitled to wear all sorts confronted his indignant spouse. Newton, S. F. Hersey thing, and Jones followed blindly, trusting of wonderful and gorgeous badges, ribbons, too, saw her almost at the same moment, Sooloo to his friend's unfalling tact to extricate him stars, aprone, and other mystical adornments, and, before Mr. Jones could open his mouth; S. S. Ridgway Nov. 26 Pownend from difficulties. In fact, if Nawton had all of which, they told her, Samuel might he stepped briskly forward and extended his Stephan

stayed in London, Jones would most likely hope to possess in course of time. They all hand in cordial greeting. The Lee have still been a member of his old firm, agreed in the exalted views of Masonry pro- "My dear Mrs. Jones," he cried, "this is Two Boys But deprived of his Mentor's advice, poor pounded by Mr. Newton and congratulated really a most unexpected and fortunate Wildwood Samuel was beeless and his brothers got Mrs. Jones on being the wife of a men who meeting. I have for a long time been Willy rid of him at the earliest possible opportunity, performed his Musonic duties as conscient urging my friend here to ask for your assist. W. Minstrei Newton had yet another, and a carer, merit. | tiously as her husband. In fact, Mrs. Jones | ance in the good work he has been engaged | W. Mudgett Before he left for China he was the only at length began to think that that down upon, but he always refused, wishing, no acquaintance of her husband's whom Mrs. trodden man might really have something in doubt, to be able first to show some result of Jones could be persuaded to look upon with him after all, and that he had found his his labours. true vocation at last. "I assure you," protested Tom Newton,

Arabella was completely vanquished. She

I have quite lost sight of every one. To. and that worthy man left her house wowing It was Lent, and the Rev. Nicodemus The reverend gentleman emilingly as Howler, being a very advanced High Churchman, conducted services; not only daily, but "I've often wondered," continued the simost hourly, during the season of mortifiundensted Newton, " way our friend here is cation." He grew quite pale and thirt, and Wall Street, whose success will furnish another Omera not a Mason. Just the thing for him. . . frequently called at Mrs. Jones's hospitable Me a mason? asked Jones, feetily. villa in a lamentable state of nervous ex-"Why not? .. It's a capital time: Every haustion. On these occasions nothing seem, one officire to be a Mason now days. One ed to revive him so much as a couple of

they could manage to swall w during the ling morning.

" Dates Present December Westernamenter

tractable frame of mind, frand, now let us orgent business, on or the comment

"But surely, my dear, you had a meeting

but if you are too late, you must call for m

"Cortainly, my dear, I'll find out th name of the church from Howler, and wi Evening came. Jones departed to h

with the Rev. Nicodemas. The Bishop Quackimbo preached a most enthralling se mon; and gave so harrowing a description the trouserless and handkerchiefless state bie black flock that Mrs. Jones put sovereign into the collection-bag. Feeling much edified, and in an exceedingly pin "I fear not, my dear," he faltered, "but frame of mind, she batcok / berself.

Margaret-street, where who had supper wi of the mystic craft. ...... other people. But the evening were on, at "We won't stay for the dinner, Sam," Samuel Timothy came not

Arabella. What can have happened to call here now. Fortunately, you will "Never mind that, but come along and able to see me home," she answered; sha

indeed an honour to belong to so suclent abandoned votaries of the error of their B ways," asked Mrs. Jones, as they neared.

My dear madam," protested Nicodemus, "Certainly not. And how did you man- "that arduous work is for us, not for ladies of culture and refinement, such asyou. Your "Mr. Howler came, and we had a long sensitive nature would recoil in horror-" during the week, she always made him sit and most improving talk. He is a truly "Nonsense!" shapped Arabella. "What E

wandered, or the fervency of his responses afford. And now let me hear about the "Mr. Howler," said Mrs. Jones, with sudden determination, " take me to a music

"I want to go to a music hall!" she increatures these abandoned votaries of vice

votaries she might happen to meet. Argument was useless, so the Rev. Nicodemus buttoned up his great coat to conceal his plerical poller, and walked resignedly along "Well, I wouldn't pitch it too strong at Oxford-street at her side! The street was first, if I were you," replied his counsellor. crowded, and they threaded their way quick-"We can always have an extraordinary ly along the pavement, jostled by masher meeting if we have anything particularly shop boys and gaily-dressed shop girls, bois- Mosser terous medical students, and loafors of every Ningpo And then Mr. Newton talked ecclesiastical possible description, all of whom Mrs. Jones P. Chom Klao Mry. 20 H. Statton millinery to Mrs. Jones for at least half-an- regarded with unspeakable disgust and Powan

Presently they arrived at a brilliantly- San Poblo There was evidently something about lighted building, where Mr. Howler stopped, Sea Gall Freemisonry which suited Mr. Jones's and made a final appeal to Mrs. Jenes to Strathmore constitution remarkably well. After every defer her experiment. It was fruitless, Suez Ah, my buy, I never let chything worry meeting of the bucifer hodge his spirits im- however, so they entered without more ado. Titania proved visitly, he wasked with a gay and The light, hoise, and tohecco-smoke of the Triumph jaunty step, not with downcast eyes and place rather bewildered Mrs. Jones at first, Vorticera Liver gone wrong? Wife whited with a hummed trans-bymp tunes, he told number of people of both sexes sitting about | W.o'the-Wist Doc. 22 Ows on Arabella, whose ear for music was somewhat at tables, for the most part drinking, laugh- Yangtere defective; he grew more particular about ing, and talking; while on the stage a very lyung ching dinner with me, and we'il go and see a good ever, repeated the responses in a louder key, Nearly all round the room were bars, at Alex. McNeil

"Oh! yes, would, if you were Arabella's of old, but always produced a cheque with he had been unexpectedly subjected to a Filomena

"Good work?" interrogated Arabella. "Precisely, my dear madam. The Lucifer as in days gone by exceedingly attentive to when Jones had been a Freemason about a Lodge has deputed us during this season Mrs. Jones, and even succeeded in winning year, "your husband is becoming quite in of mortification; to search out those, who Chandernagor May 11 Geo. Farker the heart of the Rev. Nicodemus Howlet, valuable, and I must begof you, in the in have strayed among haunts of vice such as Doris who made up the party. Such was his terests of the Lodge, not to object to his at. this, and to convince them of their errors." Emily Almost the words of the Bishop ! ! cried P. Wilhelmina May 19 Muller Mrs. Jones. Pagaring Story Change Him Mr. Howler will, no doubt inform you

> "It is even so," snewered Nicodemus, in a "This very evening," continued Newton, Fokien we have been enabled to convince these two Hailoong young ladies of the danger and folle of Hothow frequenting such places as these."

The girls smiled their assent; and Mrs. Jones, convinced of the infinite wirtue of Freemasonry, besitated no longer. My own noble Samuel ! ahe whispered, Batavia preasing his hand, "in future we will carry Director on the good work together!"-Truth.

Mr. Jay Gould has, it scoms, a female rival in | John Yotts

argument to the advocates of women's rights. Pelham This is Mrs. Harriet Green, who is said to be | Sea Swallow worth it the present time 35.000,000 or 40,000,000 | Thereso dols. She inherited from her father, E. M. Ronever can which how, useful it muy to I glasses of the famous port, which, however, binson, a large, shipowner and speculator, the as-ur- von, Mrs. Jones, when I was i China, he could not be unduced to drink without very respectable sum of 9,000,000 dols, and forwill my lift on two sent to brogations many pressing entreaties from his anxious ther secured by law another nice little property Minerva Lieut was also a truey time for the of 4,000,000 date at the death of her wint. But Minus "G offices mel" and the law, much Lungler Lodge, and Samuel's labours were so she inherited with those fortunes other still And Mr. Nowlon and and and not proup from an extraordinary questing for speculation and a passion for economy.

And Mr. Nowlon and a passion for economy. awlur to be the list has us while I fee and until as late as half-past eleven; and apflered school. No palaces in Fifth Avenue, not Meis- Farragut The It's Nicolly in the las much port as severely from nervous headache the follows sonier motores, no 250,000 dals steam yachts for Leeville her. Even now she never spends more than Sin Kolga "It is only right, my dear," he would say, 5,000 dols, a year out of an income of apwards of [ a million. When she married her husband she was already worth heavily 20,000,000; but Mr. and Mrs. Green hoth; had their own ways of Queen Emma . Jen. carrying on business which they did separately.
But the husband was not so successful as the wife: for he lost money in his speculations and The Prince of Wales is a Mason - One Friday morning semuel announced ended by gotting into debt for 800,000 dols 11 Housel Mara

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Longosoy	Americal gunboat	" 6	750	Com. F. J. Higginson	Shanghal
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Vantilus	German gua-vesset	1.0	1600	Capt. Ascheoborn	Shanghai
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verpa	Russian gunboat	No.	1	Capt. D. des Essaris	Craising.
Vielly	French oryette	10	250	Capt. B. Ivashentzoff	Hiogo
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